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### **Children's Books (ages 4- 8)**

<b>Titles</b>	<b>Author</b>
<i>Just The Way You Are You Are Special You Are Mine Because I Love You If Only I Had A Green Nose All You Ever Need Best Of All</i>	Max Lucado
<i>Tell Me Again About the Night I Was Born I'm Gonna Like Me: Letting off A Little Self-Esteem</i>	Jamie Lee Curtis
<i>I Miss My Foster Parents</i>	Stefon Herbert
<i>My Foster Family</i>	Jennifer Levine
<i>A Mother for Choco</i>	Keiko Kasza
<i>The Star: A Story to Help Young Children Understand Foster Care</i>	Cynthia Miller Lovel
<i>Zachary's New Home: A Story for Foster and Adopted Children</i>	Geraldine Molettiere Blomquist
<i>Finding the Right Spot: When Kids Can't Live With Their Parents</i>	Janice Levy

### **Children's Books (ages 8-12)**

<i>Mandy</i>	Julie Andrews Edwards
<i>Anne of Green Gables (series)</i>	Lucy Maud Montgomery
<i>Everything on a Waffle</i>	Polly Horvath
<i>The Secret Garden</i>	Frances Hodgson Burnet
<i>Long Journey Home</i>	Richard Delaney
<i>Maybe Days: A Book for Children in Foster Care</i>	Jennifer Wilgocki

*Great Gilly Hopkins*

Katherine Paterson

### **Pre-teens and Teens**

*The Heart Knows Something Different:  
Teenage Voices from the Foster Care System:  
Youth Communication*

Al Desetta

*Pictures of Hollis Woods*

Patricia Reilly Giff

*Pinballs*

Betsy Byars

*Where I'd Like to Be*

Frances O'Roark Dowell

*Like Family: Growing Up in Other People's Houses:  
A Memoir*

Paula McLain

*Foster Youth Share Their Ideas for Change, Vol. 3*

Janet Knipe, Joyce Warren

*Oliver Twist*

Charles Dickens

### **Foster Parents**

*Another Place at the Table: A Story of Shattered  
Childhoods Redeemed by Love*

Kathryn Harrison

*Finding Fish: A Memoir  
Who Will Cry For the Little Boy (poetry)*

Antwone Quinton Fisher

*The Lost Boy*

Dave Pelzer

*A Child Called It  
A Man Named Dave  
The Privilege of Youth*

*Remember Tomorrow*

Charmaine Mandell

*Fostering Changes  
Small Feats: Unsung Accomplishments and  
Everyday Heroics of Foster and Adoption Parents  
Healing Power of the Family*

Richard Delaney

*The Sexualized Child in Foster Care*

Sally G. Hoyle

*Women Who Hurt Themselves*

Dusty Miller

<i>When Rabbit Howls Rebuilding Children's Lives: A Blueprint for Treatment Foster Parents</i>	Truddi Chase Christena B. Baker
<i>Welcome Home: A Guide for Adoptive, Foster, and Treatment Foster Parents</i>	Christopher J. Alexander
<i>Swings Hanging from Every Tree: Daily Inspiration &amp; Reflections for Foster/Adoptive Parents</i>	Susan Stone
<i>Walk a Mile in My Shoes: A Book About Biological Parents for Foster Parents and Social Workers</i>	Judith A. B. Lee
<i>Preparing Adolescents for Life After Foster Care: The Central Role of Foster Parents</i>	Anthony N. Maluccio,
<i>New Foster Parents: The First Experience</i>	Patricia Woodward Cautley
<i>The Second Family</i>	Ron Taffel
<i>Cut</i>	Patricia McCormick
<i>Twenty things adopted kids wish the adopted parents knew</i>	Sherrie Eldridge
<i>The Post-Adoption Blues: Overcoming the Unforeseen challenges of adoption</i>	Karen J. Foli, John R. Thompson
<i>Cross Cultural Adoption: How to answer questions from Family, friends and community</i>	Amy Coughlin, Caryn Abramowitz
<i>For love of a child: stories of adoption</i>	Lisa Meadows Garfield
<i>Creating Ceremonies: Innovative ways to meet adoption challenges</i>	Cheryl A. Lieberman, Rhea K. Bufferd